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Officials unveil $40 million stadium bond plan

■ West Sacramento will guarantee a third of stadium project's $40 million bond, and will form tax district for local road and infrastructure improvements

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor

Local baseball promoters announced yesterday that one of the trickiest steps on their path to bring a minor league baseball team to the Sacramento region has occurred.

"This is going to bring the highest level of professional baseball in the minor leagues to the Sacramento region," said Mayor Christopher Cabaldon of West Sacramento, addressing the crowd at Tuesday's press conference

Three local governments have tentatively agreed to "co-sign" $40 million in bonds so that the River City Baseball Association can build a 10,000-seat stadium in a West Sacramento industrial area near the Tower Bridge. The bonds are to be paid back with revenue from the private stadium, with two-thirds of the bond value to be secured by Sacramento County and the remaining one-third by West Sacramento.

The deal, which involves Sacramento and Yolo counties along with the City of West Sacramento, still requires the approval of each area's respective leaders. Full details have not been made public, although public meetings in West Sacramento will begin this week (see related article this week).

On a picture-perfect day at West Sacramento's "River Walk" near the Money Store building in West Sacramento, baseball promoters and fans joined business people and local government officials at a press conference Tuesday to announce the deal.

"Perhaps the most important part of this is what we will add to the life in this region," said Sacramento County Supervisor Roger Dickinson. "And we will do it at virtually no risk to the taxpayers." Dickinson called the announcement of the three governments' proposed "Joint Powers Authority" a "home run in the region for Triple-A baseball – one of the first of many home runs."

Noticeably absent from the Joint Powers Authority was the City of Sacramento, despite the fact that participants believe the restaurants and shops of downtown Sacramento and Old Sacramento would benefit from the proposed stadium. Sacramento Mayor Joe Serna has voiced support for the West Sacramento stadium proposal, but has nevertheless been viewed somewhat warily by West Sacramento officials due to his involvement in rival efforts to bring minor league teams to such areas as North Natomas.

In fact, Serna's office was only fully briefed on the details of the three-way Joint Powers Authority on Monday.

"They're still evaluating whether or not they want to participate," West Sacramento mayor Cabaldon reported Monday night about Sacramento's intentions. "The mayor has expressed support for the stadium in West Sacramento. He thinks it will contribute to the success of their downtown area."

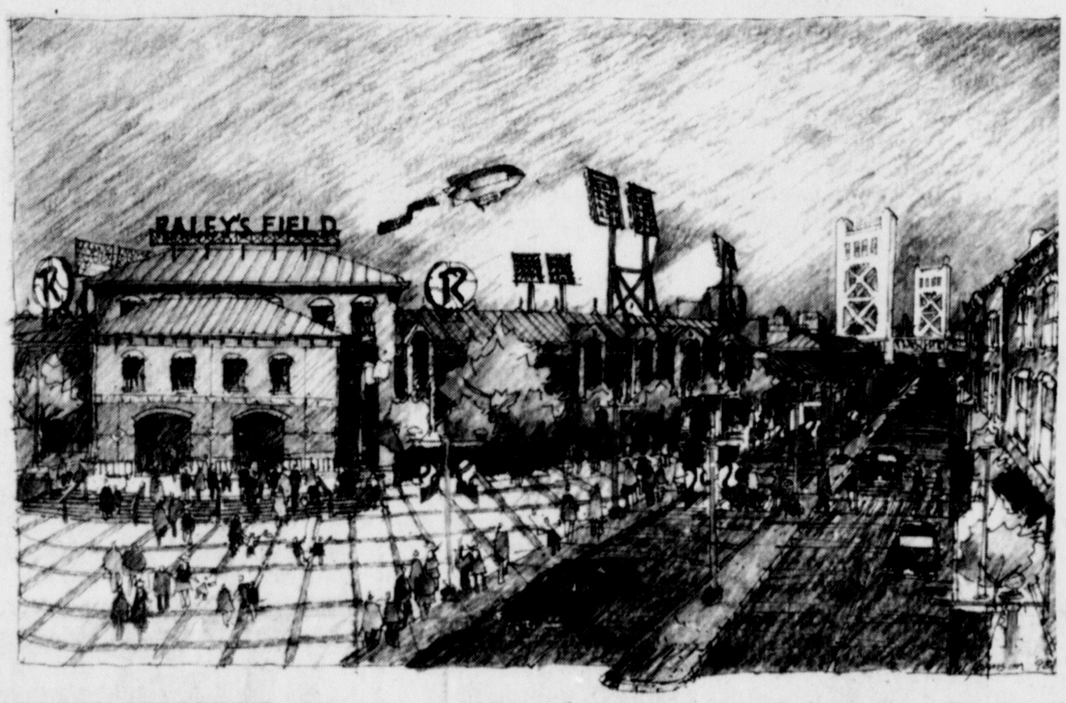
In the same interview, Cabaldon also expressed his gratitude for the cooperation of Sacramento County officials.

"They're stepping forward almost purely out of regional altruism," he said. "They really think it's important to have some regional achievements."

C.E.O of the River City Baseball group is Art Savage, who helped found the San Jose Sharks hockey team. He has purchased the Vancouver Canadiens Triple-A team and plans to bring it to the new stadium in West Sacramento in time for opening day next year. The team would be an affiliate of the Oakland A's major league team, and would play in the Pacific Coast League.

Triple-A baseball is the highest rung of the minor leagues and one notch below major league baseball. No name has been chosen for the team if and when it comes to the Sacramento area.

Baseball proponents said yesterday that they only needed an average attendance of 3,000 per game to generate enough revenue to operate the stadium and service the planned bond debt, and that other Triple-A ballparks were averaging 5,000



ARTISTS' RENDERING of the proposed West Sacramento baseball stadium. The locally-based Raley's Corporation, under C.E.O. Michael Teel, has bought the naming rights.

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About Town:

Every community needs volunteers like Verna Ellis

By Daryl Fisher
Features Editor

Longtime West Sacramento resident Verna Ellis has spent much of her adult life doing that most important of all civic duties, volunteering. She has assisted with numerous Red Cross disasters, written articles for the Genealogical Association of Sacramento, been the historian for the West Sacramento Historical Society, helped out at the Discovery Museum in Old Sacramento, greeted visitors and judged student essays at the Old School House, and she is currently the secretary of the Old Sacramento Cemetery Committee.

"Once the children were all out of the house and on their own," said Verna, "I decided to get more involved in community volunteer work. I've been blessed with good health and plenty of energy, so it only seemed right that I spend more of my time helping out some of the many organizations which rely to one degree or another upon volunteers."

"I don't know what we would do without Verna," said John Bettencourt, who is the tour and special events coordinator for Sacramento's Old City Cemetery at 10th and Broadway. "Verna is our recording secretary and she really has our records and meeting minutes in good shape. She's a great example of how important a dedicated volunteer can be to an organization like ours."

"I've really enjoyed my involvement with the Old City Cemetery," said Verna. "Most West Sacramentans don't realize they are only a few miles away from one of California's greatest historical treasures. It was established in 1849, during the gold rush, and it began with a donation of land from John Sutter himself. There are many well-known people buried there, including Edwin and Margaret Crocker, who made the Crocker Art Museum possible; Mark Hopkins, one of the legendary "Big Four" who built the transcontinental Central Pacific Railroad; William Hamilton, the son of Alexander Hamilton, who was the first Treasurer of the United States; John Sutter, Jr., who played a big role in founding the city of Sacramento; and also a man named Jerome Davis, who came to California on a military expedition with Kit Carson and John Fremont



VERNA ELLIS in period costume for Victorian 'Day of Mourning'

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Baseball deliberations begin

West Sacramento city officials are abuzz with baseball meetings this week.

Local agenda items include:

■ A status report on the AAA baseball stadium project will be given to the West Sacramento tonight early in its 7 p.m. meeting at city hall. No official action is slated at this time.

■ The city planning commission will host a "workshop" on the same "Raley's Field" baseball stadium project as part of its city hall meeting 6 p.m. Thursday. This meeting, too, is planned for informational purposes only.

■ The city council (sitting as the West Sacramento Redevelopment Agency) will meet in private, closed session tonight to discuss real estate negotiations related to the ballpark proposal.

■ A special, public session of the council will probably be scheduled for Monday at 6:30 p.m. in city hall to begin deliberations on public participation in the financing and infrastructure for the stadium. City staff is expected to request this special meeting at tonight's regular council meeting, and the request is expected to be approved. Interested people may contact city hall later in the week to find out if the meeting has been scheduled. Call city hall at 373-5800 for information.

Police chief sets retirement date

After six years, Chief Gore plans to step down this Aug. 1

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor

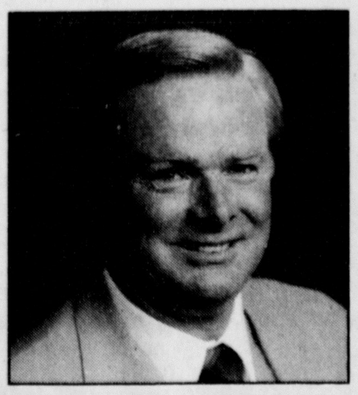
West Sacramento Police Chief Larry Gore has announced he will retire from his post on about August 1, at the age of 58.

"When I accepted the challenge of being the chief of this agency, I told the city manager I would serve a minimum of five years, and by this August, it will be six," he commented. "My wife and I are raising a grandchild, and we felt it was the right thing to do at this time."

Gore said he does not have other job prospects on his plate at this time.

"I started as a cadet in the San Diego Police Department," he told the News-Ledger. "Upon my retirement, with one brief short interruption, it will mark 40 years of police service. It seems like yesterday. I'd do it all again, in a minute."

When Gore came to West Sacramento, he found a young city with a troubled police department. There were labor problems and police worked in an inadequate facility (now leveled) near the I St. Bridge. He believes the department is now on solid ground.



Chief Larry Gore

"When I took this assignment, there were an awful lot of things that needed attention through nobody's particular fault. The facilities here were at least 'inadequate,' the training needed some attention, and the ways we did business needed refocusing. While we had a lot of good people on board, we had to change direction."

Efforts to improve communication between management and line officers have paid off, he states.

"The officers all have signed contracts and we have never in six years had a sustained grievance filed."

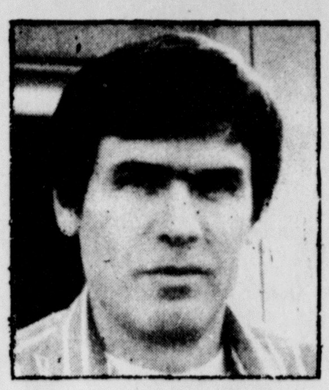
The department has also added a "Volunteers In Policing" force of 32 senior citizen volunteers, and has dedicated a unit to traffic enforcement. It has improved officers' use of computers, improved its equipment and moved into a larger and more functional office on Triangle Ct.

"Our equipment is first class and out people are first class," Gore stated. "Because of a reputation I think we have now earned, we have successfully

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How come we're not singing 'Hail to the Chief' to Al Gore?

My Back Pages



By Darvl Fisher

I have a very nice work friend (I'll call him Newt) who likes to corner me from time to time and discuss all the latest developments in the United States Senate impeachment trial of President Bill Clinton. He is extremely well informed on the subject and watches most, if not all, of the numerous cable television programs which spend countless hours debating the matter every night. He is also absolutely convinced that if President Clinton is not convicted and thrown out of office, the nation will never be the same again. Since I'm not quite that worried about the whole thing, our little chats often become a tad heated.

Anyway, as I write this, the Senate has decided by a vote of 56 to 44 (all the Republicans voted yes and all but one Democrat voted no) to allow House Republican prosecutors to begin deposing Monica Lewinsky, Vernon Jordan and Sidney Blumenthal, the idea being that if they have anything new to say it will now become part of the massive evidentiary record the Senators will get to consider before they make their final decision to convict or acquit the president.

Surprisingly, though, this obvious victory for the House managers didn't seem to cheer up Newt at all.

"But that wasn't the important vote they took today," he assured me. "It was their decision not to totally dismiss the whole case that means the end of everything."

"But the Democrats lost that vote, too," I reminded him.

"I know that, but 44 of them voted to dismiss," he explained, "so that means that short of a miracle, Clinton will get to walk away from the whole thing without a glove being laid on him. He'll be out telling the whole nation that he didn't do a thing wrong the day after he's acquitted."

"But don't you really think the poor guy has already been punished enough?" I asked, trying to inflect a little pity into my voice.

"Absolutely not!"

"But the man has been impeached by the House of Representatives, the whole nation thinks he was an idiot to do what he did, Jay Leno and David Letterman do ten minutes of jokes about him every single night, and Hilary is probably going to kick his butt out the front door the day his term is up."

"I just don't understand this country anymore," said Newt, slowly shaking his head in disbelief. "According to all those stupid polls everyone is always quoting, two-thirds of the nation think that jerk is doing a good job when actually the man is nothing but a lying scum-bag. I just don't get it. I honestly don't. How can the majority of Americans be so wrong on this?"

"Maybe they're not, Newt?"

"Yes they are!"

And so the conversation went, but later that day, as I reflected back on some of what my friend had said, I became more convinced than ever that the American people (at least about 70 percent of them, anyway) are way ahead of the political curve and have boiled this whole ugly mess down to two words - fairness and proportionality. They know the president had a scandalous relationship with Monica Lewinsky. They know he lied about it. They know his behavior was tawdry and sordid and that he let down and embarrassed himself, his family, his supporters, and the country. But they also know he committed low crimes, not high ones, and that removal from office is not the appropriate punishment.

It's the fairness issue, however, that I really think has kept President Clinton from being tarred and feathered and run out of Washington, D.C.. Americans have always had this thing about fairness. That's why they dressed up like Indians and threw all that tea into Boston harbor; that's why they fought a bloody Civil War to finally free the slaves; and that's why two cowboys could stroll out into a dusty wild west street, draw their .45's and try to blow each other away, providing of course that it was a fair fight.

In America, you're supposed to fight fair. You can't go hide inside the saloon and ambush someone through the window. In other words, you can't be a low-life like Linda Tripp and tape record your friend on the telephone; you can't spend $40 million dollars and four or five years investigating every aspect of a human being's life; you can't set up a perjury trap; you can't claim to be an independent counsel and only submit one side of the story to the House Judiciary Committee; you can't pretend you've got the moral high ground and then have that argument presented by hypocrites like Dan Burton, Robert Livingston, Henry Hyde, and Bob Barr; and maybe most important of all, you can't get together with just the people who see the world the same way you do and overturn a United States presidential election on purely partisan votes.

Confident that I had stumbled across something that might interest Newt, I decided to give him a telephone call, and he listened very politely to what I had to say.

"Daryl," he finally said, now with the pity in his voice, "I think you've been watching too damn much Geraldo."

RCHS fields 'academic decathletes'

The 1999 Yolo County Academic Decathlon teams from Davis Senior, Esparto, River City, Winters and Woodland High School campuses are busy preparing for the annual Academic Decathlon competition to be held on Saturday, Feb. 6, at the River City High School campus in West Sacramento.

The nine-member team from each high school is comprised of 3 A (Honor, 3.75-4.00 GPA) students, 3 B (Scholastic, 3.00-3.74) students, and 3 C (Varsity, 0.00-2.99 GPA) students. The school team with the highest score will go against the best schools from each of 42 counties/districts in California. The State Finals of the California Academic Decathlon will be held on March 12-14 at the University of the Pacific, Stockton. The California State Championship team will compete in the United States Academic Decathlon at Cal State Fullerton in Fullerton.

Each team member participates in ten grueling events in the Academic Decathlon including mathematics, science, social science, music, language and literature and art. In addition, the contestants perform a prepared and impromptu speech, write an essay on a given topic, and are interviewed by a panel of judges.

The final event, the Super Quiz, is an academic relay held before a cheering crowd. This year's Super Quiz topic is The Brain: Looking Inward. The public is invited to attend the Super Quiz event which will be held at 3:30 p.m. Dr. Jorge O. Ayala, Yolo County Superintendent of Schools is this year's Master of Ceremonies.

Gold, Silver and Bronze medals are presented to the top three students in every category for each event. Medals will be presented to overall individual winners. In addition, team awards are presented to the top school. The awards will be presented by Dr. Jorge O. Ayala after the Super Quiz oral portion of the competition.

The Yolo County Academic Decathlon is a not-for-profit organization sponsored by the Yolo County Superintendent of Schools and supported by Yolo County school districts as well as through personal, corporate and civic organizations.

River City High School in West Sacramento is represented by the following individuals: Dr. Dennis Kelleher, superintendent; Dr. Donna White, principal; Edwin Sanborn, coach; and students Sultan Yusufzai, Tariq Yusufzai, Sanjeev Ujagar, Muhammad Khan, Rebakah Marshall, Sierra Beshears, Jacob Brown, Heather Escobar, Mark Marshall, Darren George (alternate), Jasmin Patel (alternate) and Joey Brown (alternate).

Obituaries

Ronald L. Neitzke

Ronald L. Neitzke died Feb. 1, 1999, in Sacramento, at the age of 42.

He is survived by his parents, Elmer and Doris (McClintic) Neitzke of Merrill, Michigan; by his wife Carolyn Whitney; his sons, Nikolas R. and Casey L. Neitzke of Tumwater, Washington and Ronald L. Neitzke, Jr., of West Sacramento; by brothers and sisters and their spouses, Philip (Beverly) Neitzke, Beverlee (Lee) Glazier, Karen (Randy) Radosa of Merrill, Michigan, Holly (John) Coschka of St. Charles, Michigan, Tom (Ginger) Neitzke of Jacksonville, Florida.

He is also survived by his parents-in-law, Ross and Claudette Williams, George and Mary Whitney, sister and brother-in-law Linda and Steve Muro; and by many nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles and friends. Ron was preceded in death by his wife, Lynne Lynde Neitzke, and son Burke Ramsey Neitzke. Ron's family would like to thank his many friends for their support.

Visitation is Wednesday, Feb. 3, from 2 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the North Sacramento Funeral Home, 725 El Camino Ave., Sacramento, and the funeral service will be 10 a.m. Thursday in the First Baptist Church, 2324 B St., Sacramento. Inurnment will be private at the East Lawn Memorial Park. The family requests remembrances or donations be made to the California SIDS Program, 5330 Primrose Dr., SU 231, Fair Oaks, CA 95628-3542; or to the Leukemia Society of America, 3105 Fite Cir., Suite 101, Sacramento, CA 95827-9930.

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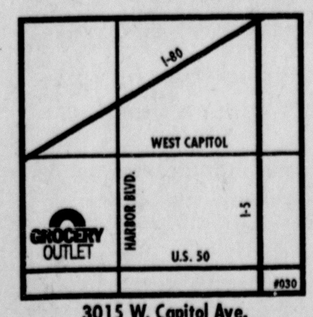
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SPORTS

SPORTS INSIDER

By Richard Novoa

The Atlanta Falcons' bigmouth cornerback Ray Buchanan guaranteed a win on Sunday, but it was the Denver Broncos who ended up celebrating their second consecutive Super Bowl victory.

Atlanta's dream season and Super Bowl hopes were done in by three interceptions, while Super Bowl XXXIII MVP John Elway passed for 336 yards in leading the Broncos to a 34-19 win. The Broncos' stingy defense was the major factor in their convincing win over the inexperienced and overwhelmed Falcons. Their defense allowed just one touchdown, to Chris Chandler and the rest of the Dirty Birds' offense. The Broncos' big question for next season is, "Will Elway retire?"

The Broncos are talking about a three-peat!

Michael Jordan quit while he was on top. Maybe big John will quite while he's a winner.

If you read my column last week, I gave you two more winners (Denver –7 and under 54 points), bringing my playoff total to a respectable 7 wins, 4 losses and one tie. I finished the NFL season with 34 wins, 24 losses and two ties – or a 57% win ratio. I had a better season picking winners than ESPN analyst Chris Berman or the Sacramento Bee's guest analyst from the Lake Tahoe sports book.

The Sacramento Kings' NBA season tips off on Friday, Feb. 5 (5:30, Ch. 31) in San Antonio. The Kings won both their preseason games against Golden State, but looked very rusty, especially on offense. On paper, the Kings look like they might make a run at the playoffs, but let's wait and see what the other teams in the NBA put together in this short season.

Utah, Los Angeles Lakers, Houston, San Antonio, Seattle, Phoenix, Portland and Minnesota all stand in the way of the Kings' post season. Minnesota and maybe Portland can be knocked off for that last playoff spot.

The Kings' new 7-foot center, Vlade Divac, finally bringsto the Kings a big man who can shoot, pass and dribble anywhere on the court. Divac will have two good forwards to work with this season in Chris Webber and Corliss Williamson. The Kings' shooting guards will be a little suspect until rookie Jason Williams settles down or the Kings can persuade Kevin Johnson to finish his NBA career in his hometown. Johnson and his agent are deciding between Houston, San Antonio or Sacramento. All the Kings can offer him is a one-year, one million dollar deal! Come on, KJ, come home!

The biggest plus for the Kings that I see this season is their reserve talent on the bench. They signed veteran guards Jon Jon Barry, Vernon Maxwell ("Mad Max") and Terry Dehere to help their second year guard, Tariq Abdul-Wahad, create some offense. The big story this season for the Kings is Peja Stojakovic, who lit up the European league last season. Peja stands at 6' 9", but runs the floor like a small guard and is probably a better shooter than Mitch Richmond. This kid is going to be fun to watch!

Sacramento also signed a backup center/forward in Oliver Miller to help develop another rookie, 7' 1" center Jerome James.

The Kings' home opener is on Sunday, Feb. 7 (6 p.m.) at the Arco Arena. Tickets are still available for the home opener, but the best deal in town is the family plan. For $39.96, you get four $18 tickets, four McDonalds value meals, one basketball, one Kings cap (total value $118). Call the Family Night hotline at 928-8138 (M-F, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.).

See ya next week!

Mixed week for RC hoopsters

By Chuck Robinson

River City High School's varsity basketball team lost to Encina 87 to 74. Victor Valdivia led with 25 points, 18 rebounds; Zafar Niazi, 16 points; Malcom Floyd, 14 points, 10 rebounds, 7 blocked shots; Javes Figueroa, 6 points, 5 assists; Alfredo Rodriguez, 7 points, 5 assists, 11 rebounds; Sal Aceves, Radai Mashriqi and Malfred Shaw, 2 points each.

Friday night, RC beat Golden Sierra 49 to 47. Floyd led with 23 points, 9 rebounds, 8 blocked shots; Valdivia, 10 points, 12 rebounds; Z. Niazi, 7 points; Mashriqi, 6 points, 5 assists; Dominique Alpers, 2 points; and Rodriguez, 1 point. RC's record overall is 15-8; in league play it is 5-3. Colfax is 8-0, Mesa Verde, 7-1, RC 5-3 and Encina 4-4.

J.V. Wins Two

RC's J.V. team beat Encina 58 to 52. Cliff Hughes led with 22 points, 8 rebounds; Roy Butz, 18 points, 6 rebounds; Ron Mumini, 6 points, 5 rebounds; Shams Maazouddin, 4 points, 12 assists; Robert Washington, 4 points; Robert Rodriguez and Oleg Bugeryiv, 2 points each.

RC beat Golden Sierra 45 to 27. Butz led with 11 points; Hughes, 8 points, 6 rebounds; Steven Shaffer, 5 points; Yassar Salman, 5 points; Rodriguez, 4 points; Bugeryiv, 2 points, 10 rebounds; Carlos Guerra, Maazouddin, Darren George, Washington and Mumini, 2 points each.

Wednesday, RC will play at home against Lindhurst. Game times are 5:30 and 7 p.m. On Friday, RC will travel to Lincoln. Game times are 6 and 7:30 p.m.

Your local team's sports results are welcome here!

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Signups approach for swim team

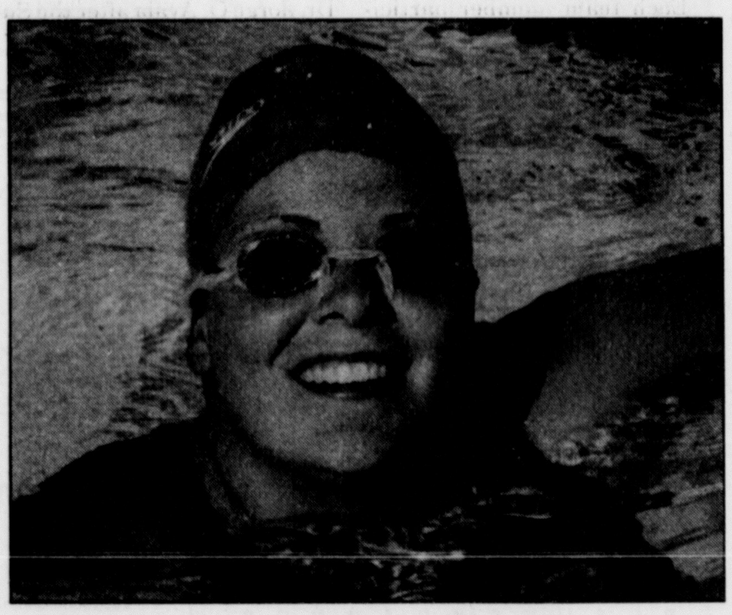
The West Sacramento Dolphins swim team will shortly hold signups for its 10th Anniversary Swim Season.

Signups will be held at Whitey's Jolly Kone, 1300 Jefferson Blvd., West Sacramento, on Sat., Feb. 27; Sat., March 6; and Sat., March 20.

On each date, signups will last from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

There will be open registration for both new and returning swimmers.

For more information, please call Alan Bennet, president, at 372-8402; or Patti Lamb, 371-4245.



LISA ARAGON has been swimming for the Dolphins since the team's first year



"Higher!"

Sports Quiz
by Aaron E. Tucker

1. Name the last Chicago White Sox manager to guide the team to a first place finish.
2. Can you name the only current major league manager with a law degree from Florida State University?
3. What current major league coach has the nickname "Popeye"?
4. What current major league slugger has the nickname "The Big Cat"?
5. Name the first-ever pitcher to throw a no-hitter in Denver's Coors Field in 1996.
6. Name the first-ever manager of the San Diego Padres in 1969.
7. Name the first-ever Cincinnati Red player to capture the N.L. Rookie of the Year Award.
8. Name the only major league pitcher in history to ever capture four consecutive Cy Young Awards.

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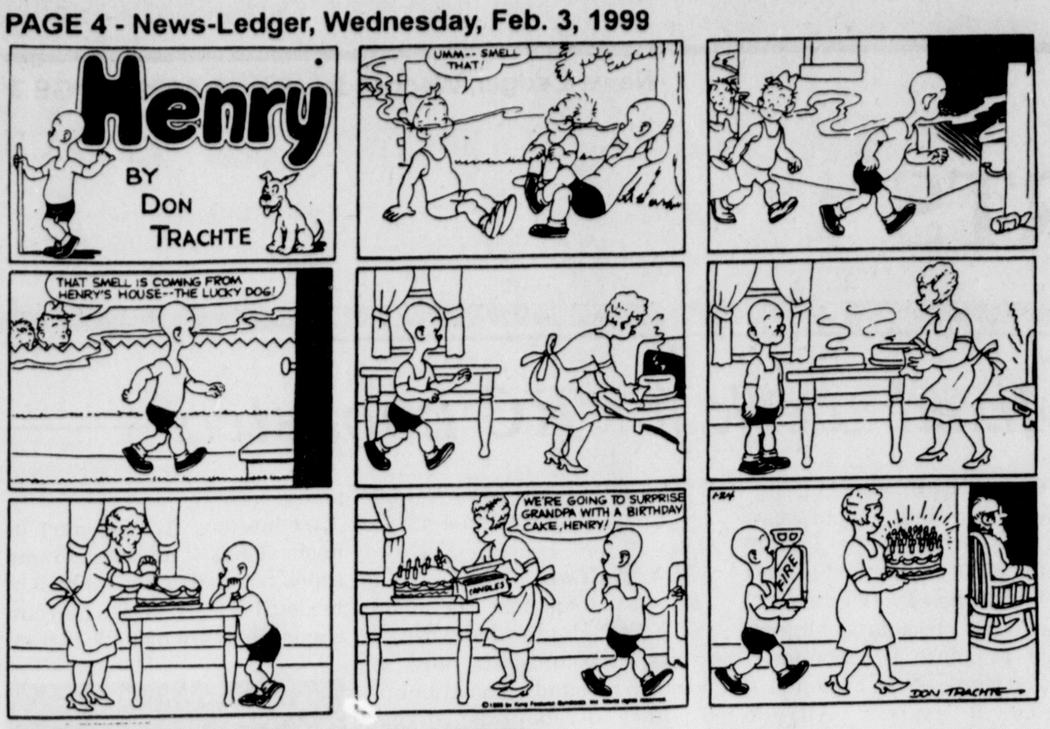
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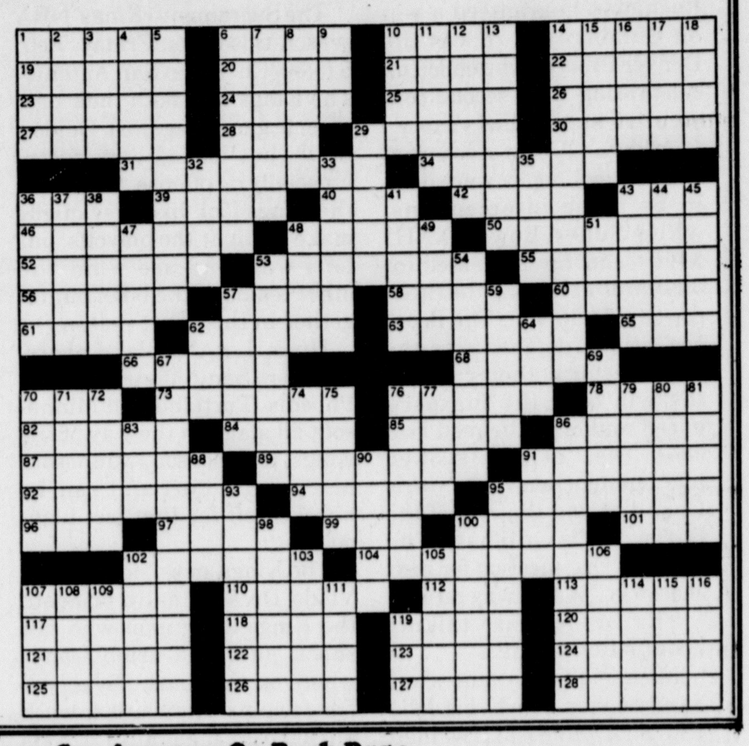


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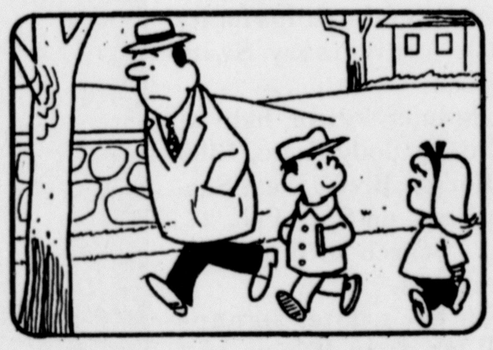
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OPINION

News-Ledger Editorial

Baseball. Money. Regionalism. Jet planes.

If these guys were running the bases, you'd have to say they were rounding second with a full head of steam going into third.

At this point, the proposal by the River City Baseball Association to bring a 10,000-seat stadium to West Sacramento has to be taken seriously. A team has been acquired, land has been optioned for purchase, and a financing plan that on the surface seems reasonable has been put into play.

Now comes the public involvement. The baseball promoters are pushed to a tight schedule by their desire to see bleachers filled and hot dogs sold by next year at this site next to the Tower Bridge, and local officials are going to have to move fast to keep up. Workshops are being planned for the city council and planning commission this week, with "action" meetings beginning on Monday. Interested members of the public will have a very short time to get up to speed and learn about the financing proposal that is being put forth by the baseball promoters and three local governments.

Will West Sacramento get a good deal from the proposal?

We have been told that we will; we have been told that this agreement calls for the city to take only a minimal risk and spend only a minimal amount of money to help make local minor league baseball a reality. There are some residents who simply oppose the entire stadium idea, but surely most approve of it -- as long as it really doesn't cost them anything.

Now it's time to see if this deal will please that majority of people.

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Speaking of "regionalism" (which is what officials from West Sacramento, Yolo County and Sacramento County have been doing in celebrating their baseball bargain):

One of the more recent times we have heard about "regionalism" was a few years back when a Sacramento supervisor urged the region to approve the re-routing of Sacramento jetliner traffic away from Sacramento and towards Yolo County.

The more northern areas of West Sacramento – and especially the areas north of city limits which various developers were planning to build new homes – would have been affected by the noise from this change in the jets' flight path. Homeowners in Sacramento – and especially the proposed neighborhoods to be built in Natomas – would have been relieved by it.

Some Sacramento politicians argued that the region (i.e., West Sacramento and Yolo County) should accept this burden as their dues in supporting the regional airport.

The proposal fizzled.

Now, developers are preparing to bring in the bulldozers and finally kick off new construction in North Natomas.

As these homes are built and filled with new residents, will the pressure to divert the airliners westward return?

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Letters to the Editor

Don't tax my heat

This is an open letter to Helen Thomson, the lady that represents us in the State Assembly. It will be interesting to see what action she takes on this request for a little tax relief.

A few days past, I bought more wood pellets for my wood pellet heating stove to supplement my usual winter supply. As usual, I paid state and local taxes on this transaction. When are we going to quit taxing life-sustaining items such as this? This is not a comfort item, it keeps a person from freezing. The same is true of propane, heating oil and so forth.

Natural gas is not taxed. Electricity is not taxed. Why do we continue to tax items that are required for heating and cooking? This tax is not only unfair, it targets people that use anything except natural gas and electricity for their heating and cooking requirements.

Can you, as our elected representative, do anything to alleviate this unfair tax?

WILLIAM E. WILLIAMS
West Sacramento

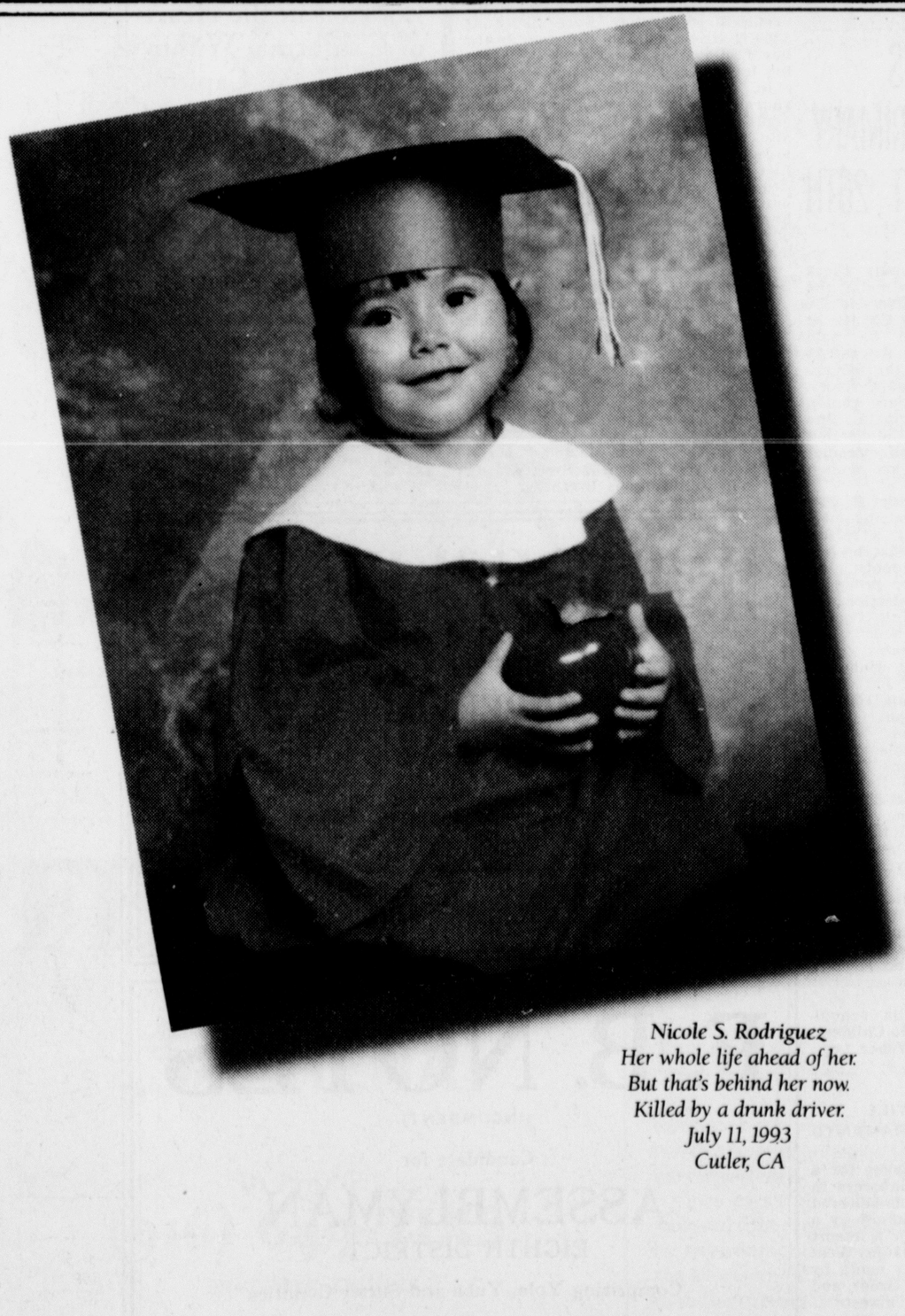
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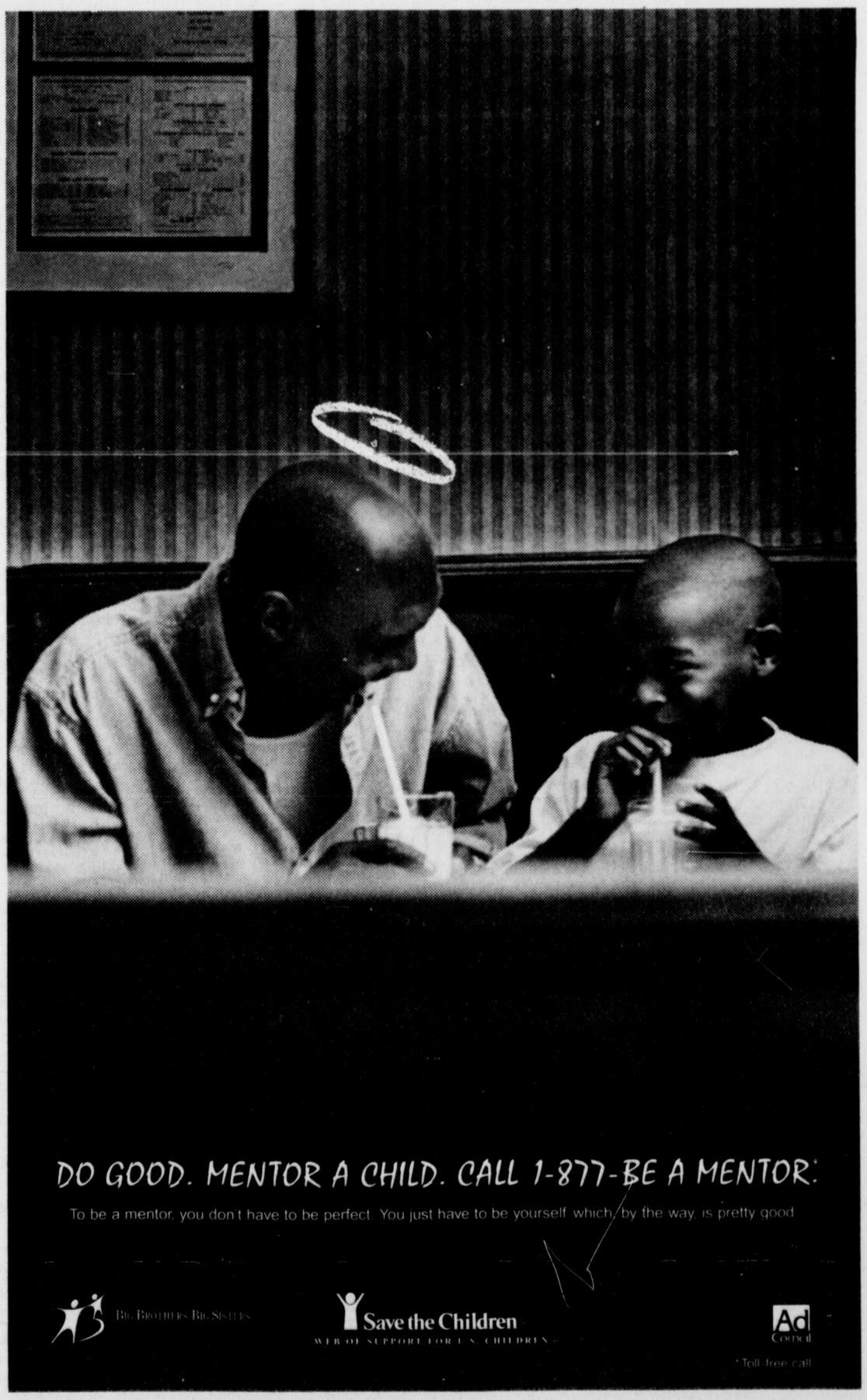
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INDEPENDENT-LEADER

WASHINGTON NEWS ITEMS

The Sacramento River registered one foot six inches, United States gauge at the Southern Pacific bridge yesterday. This reading was taken at low tide and is not a real indication of the stage of the river at this writing, for it is safe to say that the depth of the stream where the reading was taken is at least six feet. Shoals have appeared above the Southern Pacific bridge to such an extent that apparently an average size man could walk across the river. The effect of the tide on the stream shows plainly an upward turn when the tide is incoming and debris from the wharves being built by the Southern Pacific Company on Front street floats up past the water intake of Sacramento.

As a pastime John Johnson, the night watchman at the West Sacramento headquarters, set up two hives of bees last fall and when about to find if his bees had been busy the other day, he was greatly surprised to find nineteen frames filled with first-class honey. As a matter of fact, bee-keeping in the West Sacramento district is becoming quite an industry and the returns secured are better than the average, owing to the great fields of alfalfa that are allowed to ripen and blossom in the district.

Miss Dixie Chiles spent the week-end with her parents in Chiles Valley, Napa County.

The West Side Auto Camp, under the direction of its owners, McNally & Partridge, received two truck loads of watermelons last Wednesday and went to the trouble of going to the source of supply in order to give their customers the best in the market. So as not to lose time, they drove down Tuesday night and on Wednesday, when their trucks were loaded, they spent the night in traveling from Turlock to West Sacramento. But the melons are wonders, nearly peaches, and the trade those boys are enjoying, especially from auto tourists and neighbors in the vicinity of their camp, is extraordinary.

William Brown, arrested by Constable Buckingham yesterday, was discovered by Judge Barry to be an inmate of the Soldiers' Home at Yountville, but had been indulging in the consumption of canned heat or gas in the vicinity of the M street bridge and in the jungles. Pleading guilty to the charge of being drunk, he resented the imputation that he was a vagrant and expressed his readiness to pay a fine or do anything else to make amends for his sinning, but he did not want to be placed on the black list at the Soldiers' Home. He promised Judge Barry to return to the home as soon as possible and on that account he was given a suspended sentence of thirty days in jail. It only took him five minutes to get to Sacramento and get the first train back to the Soldiers' Home.

Claude Howard and wife, with Frank Todhunter, left here last Saturday to make a trip by auto as far south as Mexico. They disclaimed any idea of getting away from prohibition but a few of their friends joked them about bringing back a toothful of real stuff.

Willie Freese of Riverbank went bathing last Tuesday in the river and in the pockets of his clothes left a watch, a ring and some keys owned by his mother. At the same time three youngsters of the Russian fraternity of Bryte were bathing in the river and leaving the water before the Freese boy, they found the watch, the ring and the keys, and appropriated them. Constable Buckingham managed to secure a confession from them that they had stolen the goods but when they went to find the ring and the keys they could not be located. The watch was returned to Mrs. Freese and a decision has not been reached yet as to what punishment should be meted out to the youngsters, all of whom were less than twelve years of age.

Joe Pereira and wife left here last Saturday to make an auto trip to the northern part of the state. The last heard of them they were in Redding and were then on their way to Pereira's old home in Ft. Jones, Siskiyou County.

W. J. Woods and wife have been in Orange County during the past two weeks on a vacation. Last Monday Woods returned here, leaving his wife with relatives where she will remain for several weeks to come.

M. G. Collins and wife of Chico spent the week-end with Mrs. George, the postmistress of Washington.

Mrs. Louise Smith has returned to her home here after spending two weeks in San Francisco and other Bay points. She was accompanied by her nephew, Charles Leinberger, Jr., of Sacramento, who fulfilled the duties of escort to Mrs. Smith in an admirable manner.

Miss Millie Armstrong spent a few days of the past week at the Leinberger home on a friendly visit. She returned to her home in Cosumnes last Wednesday.

After spending a vacation at Pacific Grove, Mrs. J. N. McNeven and Mrs. Ray Peek and daughter have returned.

Odell Russell and Joseph Eugene have returned to Washington from Fallon, Nev., where they have been visiting with friends and relatives. They were accompanied on the return trip by the Misses Amy and Mildred Hoover, nieces of Eugene. The Hoover sisters will spend several days here visiting with Mrs. Ray Speicher.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Joseph, Charles Todhunter, Romie Barry and Mrs. Ellis Barry have left for a few days' hunting trip in Lassen County.

Mrs. George Beale and daughter are spending a month on a pleasure trip at Santa Cruz.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thomas spent Sunday visiting with friends and relatives at Vallejo.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Hart, Fred Hart and Mrs. E. C. Reinersman are spending a few days visiting in Carson City, Nevada.

Miss Audrey Richeson, who has been spending a few days in Truckee on a pleasure trip, returned to Washington.

Miss Agnes Butler has returned to her East Sacramento home after visiting a few days with Mrs. Herman Garber of Washington.

After spending a few days visiting with G. C. Colbert of Washington, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Colbert, Newton Colbert and Miss Kathryn Colbert continued on a motor trip which started at Pittsburgh, Pa. They will visit in Shasta County, Los Angeles and other California cities before returning home.

WASHINGTON BOOSTERS' CLUB TAKES ACTIVE INTEREST IN INCORPORATION OF THE TOWN

Although the president and vice president of the Washington Boosters Club, Mrs. A. M. Cameron and Mrs. P. A. Hart, were absent on their vacations last Tuesday evening, a well filled hall greeted the regular meeting of the club.

Ray Peek presided again and active discussion was indulged in for a lengthy period.

The committee that had been appointed at the previous meeting to take up the question of incorporation made a report that it had been in consultation with attorneys but that definite plans had not yet been formed to go ahead with incorporation. Some difficulty had been experienced because so many of the Sacramento attorneys were out of town on their vacations. A full report on the preliminary work in the question of incorporation was promised for the meeting to be held on Tuesday evening, August 5.

It is expected that absent officers will have returned by that time and that further interest will be stirred up in the important question.

There is no doubt whatever that the property owners and voters of Washington are becoming anxious about incorporation. Other towns are framing, under incorporation, to boost their localities and the people of Washington are fully alive to the fact that incorporation seems to be the cure for the evils that inflict the community at the present time.

Perhaps the most vital question that concerns the taxpayers is that of expense following incorporation. Is the assessed valuation sufficient to bring enough revenue to the city authorities to conduct the town in a proper manner?

How much will the road tax that now goes to the county government give to the newly incorporated town?

What will be the expenses of incorporation, and what will be the subsequent expense after incorporation?

What form of government will be adopted, what officers will be elected, and what officials must be paid a salary to conduct the affairs of the community?

All these things are vital in taking a step so important and beneficial to the community.

A committee of the Boosters Club reported last Tuesday evening that the school trustees of the district had been approached about placing a night watchman on the public school building during the next two or three months. The committee, consisting of Mrs. Floris, Mrs. Esycheck and Mrs. Painter, reported that they did not get much satisfaction from the trustees because at the present time there is very little money in the school fund for the district, but the trustees were about to investigate and see what could be done to protect the public school building, especially because there seems to be an epidemic of school fires throughout the state.

The loss of the public school building would bear heavily on the taxpayers of the district because the structure is not yet fully paid for and, besides, another new building would add to the burden of the taxpayers.

Ray Peek reported to the meeting last Tuesday that the M street camp grounds had been greatly improved under the direction of its owner, Mr. Boyd, and that every sanitary precaution had been observed. Mr. Boyd also promised that the appearance of the camp would be changed from its present dilapidated condition as quickly as his finances would permit it.

G. A. Townsend, who has been picking up garbage, appeared at the club to report that so far he had secured only forty-six customers outside the two camp grounds and that most of these wanted only a monthly service for the removal of garbage, tin cans and other refuse. He said that such a number of customers would not pay him to continue the work and that at least there should be a weekly or bi-monthly service.

His charge for hauling away garbage is only 50c for monthly service and $1.00 for weekly service. He reported that all the garbage hauled is being burned at the present time in the dumping ground north of town.

Where garbage is allowed to remain in wooden barrels or kegs, as is sometimes the case, Townsend said there is danger of spontaneous combustion and he had found several receptacles about ready to catch on fire.

T. D. M. Slaven was present at the meeting last Tuesday evening and complimented the club on the progress it was making on the question of incorporation. He partially explained the methods that should be pursued and made an extended talk in favor of the question.

At the meeting to be held on Tuesday, August 5, a large attendance is expected and a full report will be looked for from the committee of investigation.

PREHISTORIC SKELETON FOUND NEAR RAILROAD TRACKS WEST OF TOWN

The mania that has lately developed all over the United States and in fact all over the world to find prehistoric skeletons, prehistoric mammals and prehistoric dinosaurs seems to have spread to this section of the state.

Last Tuesday a Washington boy, digging for angle worms near the overflow west of town, discovered a skeleton. It was such an extraordinary skeleton that he reported his find to some of the Sacramento officers and immediately word was sent to the University of California to start an investigation.

True enough, some professors arrived the next day to investigate the skeleton and to place a date for its existence about three million years before Christ.

All the necessary proofs were there. There were bones, hair, vertebrae and nose horns.

A real live story was in course of publication, something that would surprise the world, something that would outclass the relics of the Gobi desert, relics that antedated the Los Angeles prehistoric find, that at last Washington was about to be put on the map.

But along came a farmer, a real dirt farmer, a man who had lived in the locality for several years and who had been a sufferer from floods and other such inconvenient affairs.

When he heard the professors discussing the merits of the new find he laughed hilariously and when those professors inquired of him the cause of his levity he simply told them.

"That was a skunk I killed last winter for killing my chickens and I buried him there because I dare not bring it nearer to my house."

ELECTION OFFICERS APPOINTED FOR PRIMARY ON AUGUST 26TH

Woodland, July 27.—County Clerk Harry R. Saunders reports today the selection of 212 election officers in the various precincts of Yolo County at the primary election to be held throughout the county on August 26 next. More than half of the officers selected by the board of supervisors, or to be exact, 114 of them, are women electors of the various precincts. One precinct has not a man on the election board. This is Woodland precinct No. 11, where there are six women election officers.

It will be noted that George A. Ball is once again on the Woodland election board in his precinct, a record of well over thirty years that he has served consecutively on county election boards. Ball is quite proud of his record. The roster of election officers for this section of Yolo County is as follows:

Clarksburg Precinct.

Polling place in auditorium of school house. John Krull, J. C. Marshall, N. K. Kurtz, J. S. Bell, William C. Huntley and B. A. Taylor.

South Washington.

Polling place at Brietzke's garage. Lauren E. Van Tassel, Emma J. Hart, A. M. Jongeneel, Jessie B. Borchers, Jack P. Edwards and Archie E. Lewis.

North Washington.

Polling place at Town Hall. E. A. Palm, J. L. Clifton, Flora P. Woods, Ethel R. Palm, Mary A. Esycheck and Georgia M. Dupzyk.

Riverbank District.

Polling place at assembly hall in schoolhouse. Elbert P. Smith, Lillie J. White, Tom Collins, Effie L. Anderson, Eunice W. Queener and Hedwig Marty.

South Putah.

Polling place in Franklin schoolhouse. O. B. Wilbur, J. M. Childers, W. H. Baker and Frank Weber.

FEDERAL DRY AGENTS MAKE RAID ON STILL IN WEST SACRAMENTO

The source of liquor supplies for a large number of itinerant laborers in the western end of the city is believed by officers to have been cut off by a raid made Friday night on a resort conducted by Tom Sumski in West Sacramento. The raid was made by Prohibition Agent W. W. Greer and Sumski was placed under arrest.

Greer was able to obtain only a small quantity of liquor, as Sumski destroyed it as the officer entered the place. He said large numbers of men have been crossing the river from Sacramento to obtain liquor at Sumski's place.

THREE COURTLAND PEOPLE ARE ACCUSED OF FRAUD

BOND POSTPONEMENT HAS NO OPPOSITION IN WEST SACRAMENTO

At the election held in West Sacramento last Friday, July 25, not one single vote was registered against the postponement of payment of bonds that were about to fall due on January 1, 1925, January 1, 1926, and January 1, 1927.

The voting in this instance was done on assessed valuations and while all the property owners did not take advantage of the opportunity to vote, it was significant that the vote represented a total sum of $324,000.68.

The effect of the election will be that the landholders will be relieved of the payment of $171,000 until January 1, 1941, 1942 and 1943.

This potponement was asked because the committee of the bondholders who now have charge of the district felt that this was a poor year to assess this tax on the landholders.

There remains now only one bond issue that is being paid off each year and which will not bear heavily on the property owners within the district.

SACRAMENTO CAPITALIST MADE DEFENDANT IN DIVORCE SUIT

A sacramento daily paper published a story the other day relative to the divorce proceedings brought by Mrs. Agnes McKay against her husband, Charles McKay, who is well known in Washington.

Mrs. McKay was formerly a resident of Washington for several years, having been known as Mrs. Agnes Kinch.

Many residents of Washington will read with sorrow the reasons advanced for the divorce as recited in a daily paper of Sacramento.

Charles McKay, said by his wife to be a retired capitalist worth $60,000, today was made defendant in a suit for divorce filed in the superior court by Mrs. Agnes McKay on the ground of cruelty.

Mrs. McKay, who says the alleged acts of cruelty cited in her complaint occurred while they were living at 4300 H street, asks the court to award her $250 a month alimony. She avers his income is $600 monthly.

In her complaint, Mrs. McKay charges her spouse told her he had another woman to whom he could go any time he wanted and that she loved him and would keep care of him as long as he lived.

She also charges her spouse told her he did not know why he married her; that he wished he could get rid of her and that she either had to leave or take his abuse.

BEET HARVEST HAS STARTED IN HOLLAND DISTRICT

Beet harvesting commenced on several tracts in the Clarksburg district Monday, according to Farm Advisor Warren D. Norton. There is a large acreage of beets in this section, a good yield is reported and prices are good.

Among those who started harvesting Monday are Olson & Swartz, J. C. Marshall and Holmes Brothers.

JOSEPH AND SILVIERA BOYS WOULD SEE THE WORLD IN AUTO

Last Sunday afternoon Frank Joseph, son of E. M. Joseph, the dairyman, of Washington, and Joseph Silviera, a neighbor's boy, both about sixteen years of age, decided that it was time for them to see for themselves what was going on in the wide, wide world.

Appropriating the Joseph automobile, a valuable machine, too, by the way, they started out for the south and wound up in San Jose. A crafty officer noticing their actions and being suspicious that they had stolen the machine, placed them under arrest.

Word was immediately telegraphed to Mr. Joseph and to the Woodland authorities to hold the boys. Mr. Joseph started on the first train for San Jose and brought home the boys, who believe they can go along now without worrying about seeing the world.

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CAMP IN THE OPEN

Tip leads to recovery of $750,000 in locally stolen goods

The Yuba City Police Department has announced the arrest of two Yuba City men in the theft of more than $750,000 in stolen cargo and vehicles – much of it from West Sacramento.

The suspects are believed to have stolen a truck tractor from a Glide Ave. subhauler on June 28, then used it to steal two loaded trailers from Devine Intermodal shipping on Channel Dr., making two trips. They also are believed to have taken a trailer and its load of interactive books, valued at $240,000, from a South River Road firm.

Yuba detective John Arnold learned that a large amount of stole property was being stored in a shop building in southern Butte County, and with the assistance of the West Sacramento Police Department, he obtained a search warrant for the property. Friday evening, Yuba and West Sacramento police joined the California Highway Patrol's cargo theft unit in serving the warrant.

Inside the storage building, they found about $400,000 worth of stolen cargo, including computer parts, children's puzzles and toys, and several large air conditioning units. Nearby, they also found a stolen car, stolen Suburban, a semi tractor and three trailers.

Early Saturday morning, the same officers served search warrants at the homes of suspects Rana Ranbir Singh Dhaliwai, 32, and Balwinder Singh Sohal, 30. They found additional stole cargo in the two homes. Both suspects were booked for possession of stolen property and vehicles, with bail set at $100,000.

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or more per game. They added that although, with a population of 30,000, West Sacramento would become among the smallest city to host a Triple-A team, the region as a whole provides one of the largest markets for a Triple-A ballpark.

Tickets will cost $5 to $10, they estimated.

"I'm convinced that our Triple-A site will be a smashing success, because all the demographics and economics are there," Mayor Cabaldon told the News-Ledger Monday. "The land is locked up and the timing is right."

At the press conference, Muriel Johnson of the Sacramento Board of Supervisors was equally optimistic.

"I just love to think about the kids and the families who can get here and watch baseball and have a wonderful time at an affordable price," she said at the press conference. "Regionalism sometimes stops in each local domain. One little river can't stop baseball or stop us from our journey together for baseball."

Yolo County Supervisor Mike McGowan of West Sacramento had similar thoughts.

"Imagine it's a hot July night. . . and you're sitting in the bleachers with a Polish dog and your favorite adult beverate in your hand watching the Mudhens play – yes, that's my (suggested team) name). I don't think it gets any better," said McGowan.

Although River City Baseball has options to buy the 13.5 acres needed, officials for the redevelopment agency are still in negotiations with a number of the landowners over unresolved issues. Among the redevelopment agency's obligations will be the early expansion of Highway 275, the Tower Bridge approach.

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YOLO SUPERVISOR MIKE McGOWAN

West Sacramento City Councilman Greg Potnick credited his colleagues, Mayor Christopher Cabaldon and Councilman Bill Kristoff, with participating in hours of negotiations over the past few weeks in an effort to reach the financing agreement with River City Baseball.

The Sacramento region has not seen minor league baseball in 22 years. A lower level of minor league play is being readied for Sacramento City College's stadium.

Sources close to the proposal have told the News-Ledger that the West Sacramento stadium site is being readied with an eye to the future: it will be expandable to become a major league stadium should the opportunity arise, they say.

The city council will hear a staff report on the baseball proposal tonight, and will likely attend a special meeting to move the project forward on Monday night at 6:30 p.m. The city planning commission will participate in a workshop on the project Thursday at 6 p.m.

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and was later instrumental in planning and laying out the old town of Washington, which ended up being Broderick."

Verna belongs to what is officially called the Old City Cemetery Committee, which was organized in 1987 by concerned citizens who were appalled by all the vandalism and desecration which was taking place at Sacramento's oldest cemetery. Their goal was to restore, preserve and protect the historical burial site, and they've been very successful to date.

"There's always more to do," said Verna, "and now we have a program called 'Adopt a Pioneer Plot', where people can beautify and take care of one specific plot, and that seems to be going very well. We are also trying to repair as many of the numerous beautiful marble headstones as possible and get the City of Sacramento to light and fence more of the property."

Only 65 percent of the 28 acres which make up the Old City Cemetery have been used, and although new burials are still taking place, the other 35 percent of the ground is owned by families who already have relatives buried in the cemetery.

"Back in the 1850s," said John Bettencourt, "you could purchase a 20 foot by 20 foot lot of land in the cemetery for only $50.75, but unfortunately, those days are gone."

"I've always had a love for history," said Verna, "and a deep respect for those who have gone before us. In addition to the Old Sacramento Cemetery Committee and the Daughters of the American Revolution, I belong to both the Sacramento Historical Society and the West Sacramento Historical Society and I've met so many wonderful people at their meetings and events. The more we know about the past, the better we can make the future."

Phyllis Runyan, a retired WUSD teacher who is also well known in West Sacramento for her volunteer work, said, "Verna is one of those special people who is always doing her best to make things a little better. She started out as a concerned parent who wanted to make sure her children got the best education possible and she has continued to be active in numerous organizations which have really benefited from her energy and concern. She also has a very nice habit of giving credit where credit is due and making others feel appreciated and needed." Verna, who has five children, nine grandchildren, and three great-grandchildren, wants everyone to know that you can never be too young to start appreciating history, and that the Old City Cemetery Committee provides tours on most weekends, May thru September at 10:00 a.m. Also, if anyone would like to make donations to the restoration or desecration reward funds, they can do so by writing to the Old City Cemetery Committee, 1000 Broadway, Sacramento, CA 95818. For general information about some of the other special events that take place at the Old City Cemetery throughout the year, you can call 448-0811.

City council to deal with Downtown Association funding

The West Sacramento City Council will contemplate an grant of $8,000 in redevelopment agency money to the West Sacramento Downtown Association at its meeting tonight.

City staff, which recommends the expenditure, reports that the grant is to be used to pay for administrative costs. The association pays $1,000 per month to a private management group to administer the association, and is also funded with proceeds from a special assessment on downtown-area businesses.

The city's economic development advisory commission stamped its own approval on the funding request last month (with a lone "no" vote), but also asked the association to provide a more specific breakdown of the services provided by the group.

The city council meets at 2101 Stone Blvd. at 7 p.m.

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A special kind of contest

From The River Otter Taxi Co.

The Sacramento Metro Chamber and the West Sacramento Chamber have created a new event for the river front area, the first River Otter Amphibious Race: Sacramento River Kinetic Art Challenge scheduled for Sept. 25.

This is a race of human-propelled, mechanical-artistic contraptions or "Kinetic Sculptures" that move through and over approximately four miles of pavement, sand, mud and water. The race starts in historic Old Sacramento and ends at the new River Walk Promenade in West Sacramento.

"This event is designed for the people of the Sacramento region to celebrate the great Sacramento River in an afternoon of fun and competition. The ultimate goal is to develop the Sacramento River front as a major attraction for tourists and locals alike," said Susan Peters, chairman of the Sacramento Metro Chamber and of Waterfront Area Visitors and Entertainment Services, Inc., an affiliate of the Sacramento Metro Chamber and West Sacramento Chamber. "It brings the cities of West Sacramento and Sacramento together through the cooperation of volunteers and community, business and government leaders."

This event is patterned after the famous 38-mile, three-day annual World Championship Arcata to Ferdale Kinetic Sculpture Race in Northern California. The event has been held for the past 29 years and is an immensely popular show. Proceeds from ROAR will benefit WAVES, a nonprofit organization promoting economic development on the Sacramento River.

Creative, fun-loving people interested in participating should call Nancy Barker at 552-5808, ext. 226. Sponsorships are also available.



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competed for about $2 million worth of new grants over the last very few years."

Gore says that he has always believed that crime is influenced by environment. He is proud of the efforts his officers have made to reduce prostitution and other signs of "blight," and believes that West Sacramento's planned growth will pose a challenge to its police force in the future.

"The biggest thing we're going to have facing us is growth," Gore commented. "The working relationships with other city departments, such as the planning department, are critical. Like today – there was that proposal for a new ballpark. That's going to influence policing needs. And there are a huge number of homes to be built. All of these things will have an influence on policing in the future."

A police union spokesperson couldn't immediately be reached for comment.

But Mayor Christopher Cabaldon termed Gore's impending departure "a real loss."

"He was everything the council hoped he would be when they hired him," Cabaldon said of Gore."He instilled a sense of professionalism and of pride that the officers appreciated, and, certainly, the public appreciated."

No decision has been made on how to go about replacing the chief, said Cabaldon.

What's new at the library:

The following new titles are currently available for checkout at the library, located at 1212 Merkley Ave.:

Natural Cleaning for Your Home: 95 Pure and Simple Recipes, by Casey Kellar.

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Public Notices

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Jan 4, 1999
File No. 99-007

The following persons are doing business as Luque Trucking, 25780 Aviation Ave., Davis, CA 95616:

Jaime Herrera Perez, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 9/1/97.

/s/Jaime Herrera Perez

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by: /s/Vikki Wittig, Deputy Clerk
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Jan 12, 1999
File No. 99-022

The following person is doing business as Rick's Gas Station, 45 15th St., West Sacramento, CA 95691:

Vichai Arunyakasem, 4360 S. River Rd., West Sacto, CA 95691

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/31/98. Previous fictitious business name number 98-98275.

/s/Vichai Arunyakasem

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Dec. 14, 1998
File No. 98-697

The following person is doing business as 1.) Kids' Korner Network, 2.) Pigaroo.com, 3.) Stevely the Worm, 1936 Maxwell Avenue, Woodland, CA 95776:

Debora Kaye Gutierrez, same address.

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/s/Debbi K. Gutierrez

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Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, in accordance with the provisions of Section 21700 et seq. Of the Business & Profession Code of the State of California, of public sale of the contents of the storage spaces named below, which consist of misc. personal property, household, garage, yard, household items, misc. items to satisfy a landlord lien. Complete terms and inspection prior to sale which will be held on the 16th day of February, 1999, in the County of Yolo, State of California, at 2600 Evergreen Ave., West Sac. 95691 at 9:00 a.m.

A69 Kathy Santos; B19 Blanca Tafoya; C18 Elena Garcia/Randy La Bonte; C43 James Skaggs/Rich Perry; C61 Susan Rhodd; D11 Kari Drew;; E70 April Burnside; H20 Valerie Meza.

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Statement of Abandonment of Use of Fictitious Business Name
FBN Number 98-275

The following person has abandoned the use of the Fictitious Business Name: Rick's Arco at 45 15th St., W. Sacto., CA 95691.

The fictitious business name referred to above was filed in Yolo County on

Vichai Arunyakasem, 4360 S. River Rd., W. Sacto., CA 95691.

This business was conducted by Vichai Arunyakasem.

/s/Vichai Arunyakasem

This statement was filed with the Yolo County Clerk on the date indicated by the file stamp above.

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Jan. 12, 1999
By: /s/Georgie Tolle, Deputy Clerk
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Oct 8, 1998
File No. 98-601

The following persons are doing business as Custom CAD Design, 1009 Duncan Circle, Woodland, CA 95776:

Mary A. Harrington, 1009 Duncan Cir., Woodland, CA 95776; Harold L. Welborn, Jr., 8961 Van Gogh Cir., Fair Oaks, CA 95628.

This business is conducted by a General Partnership. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/7/98.

/s/Mary A. Harrington
/s/Harold L. Welborn, Jr.

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Jan 7, 1999
File No. 99-011

The following persons are doing business as Take Charge! Enterprises; Take Charge! Fitness, 2748 Concord Ave., Davis, CA 95616:

James Bruce Hiatt and Kathleen Mary Hiatt, same address as above.

This business is conducted by Husband and Wife. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/7/99.

/s/James Bruce Hiatt
/s/Kathleen Mary Hiatt

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Jan 19, 1999
File No. 99-34

The following person is doing business as Male Fertility Medical Associates, Inc., 310 Avocet Ave., Davis, CA 95616:

John E. Gould, MD, same address, incorp. in California.

This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/7/99.

/s/John E. Gould, President
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Jan 25, 1999
File No. 99-049

The following persons are doing business as Blueline Design Studio, 34810 Paintridge Rd., Woodland, CA 95695:

Yvonne Burau – Owner, same address.

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/s/Yvonne Burau

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Jan 22, 1999
File No. 99-048

The following persons are doing business as Golden River, 525 Huston Street, West Sacramento, CA 95691:

Peter Peycher, same address as above.

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/s/Peter Peycher

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO SELL ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

Date of Filing Application: Jan. 13, 1999

To Whom It May Concern:

The Name of the Applicant is ARUNYAKASEM, Vichai.

The applicants listed above are applying to the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control to sell alcoholic beverages at: 1015 Jefferson Blvd., West Sacramento CA 95691.

For the following type of License: Off-Sale Beer & Wine.
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Jan 19, 1999
File No. 99-37

The following person is doing business as RMecon, 1677 Colusa Avenue, Davis, CA 95616:

Roger Mann, 1677 Colusa Ave., Davis, CA 95616.

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/s/Roger Mann

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Jan 25, 1999
File No. 99-050

The following persons are doing business as A&K Farms, 208 Pendegast St., Woodland, CA 95695:

Daniel James Ward and Robin Elizabeth Ward, same address as above.

This business is conducted by Husband and Wife. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/1/99.

/s/Daniel J. Ward

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Jan 21, 1999
File No. 99-42

The following person is doing business as Lulu's Fashion Lounge Davis, 211 G St., Davis, CA 95616: Heather Weston, 1212 Cypress Lane, Davis, CA 95616; Colleen Cannon, 1412 Salem St., Chico, CA 95928.

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/s/Heather Weston

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Dec. 30, 1998
File No. 98-758

The following persons are doing business as Blazing Needles, 810 Braddock Ct., Davis, CA 95616:

Mary Margaret Clinton, same address.

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/s/Mary M. Clinton

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by: /s/Mayela Trejo-Lemus, Deputy Clerk
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Notice of Trustee's Sale: Trustee Sale Number: 34887-F You are in default under a deed of trust dated 02/21/95. Unless you take action to protect your property, it may be sold at a public sale. If you need an explanation of the nature of the proceedings against you, you should contact a lawyer. On **02/16/99** at **11:00 AM**, Attorneys Equity National Corporation (Trustee) 23721 Birtcher Drive, Lake Forest, CA 92630 (949)707-5640 as the duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to the Deed of Trust recorded 03/02/95 as Document 95-0004382 of Official Records in the Office of the Recorder of Yolo County, California, Executed by: Robert P. Hannan, a married man as his sole and separate property, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash or cashiers check made payable to Attorneys Equity National Corporation, (payable at the time of sale and in accordance with Section 2924h(b) nf the California Civil Code, and acceptable to the Trustee) at: **The Main Steps to the County Courthouse 725 Court Street Woodland, California** all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County, California. The street address or other common designation, if any, of the real property described herein is purported to be: 3049 Susan Court, West Sacramento, Ca 95691; County Assessor's Parcel Number: **045-524-011** The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the unpaid balance of the obligation, including interest, advances, and all other charges secured by said property. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by said property and reasonably estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of this Notice is **$144,687.99** Date: 01/24/99 **Attorneys Equity National Corporation** *Natalie La Rosa Foreclosure Department* **C290535** 1/27, 2/3, 2/10 1999

Notice Of Trustee's Sale: TTD No. 26100-07 You Are In Default Under A Deed Of Trust, Dated 11/1/93. Unless You Take Action To Protect Your Property, It May Be Sold At A Public Sale. If You Need An Explanation Of The Nature Of The Proceeding Against You, You Should Contact A Lawyer. On **2/23/99** at **11:00 AM**, Title Trust Deed Service Company, a California Corporation, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded 11/12/93, as Instrument No. 037057, in Book 2569, Page 679 of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California. Executed by Timothy P. Janke and Yvonne M. Janke, husband and wife, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States) at: **On the Main Steps to the County Courthouse, 725 Court Street, Woodland, California.** all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as: **APN# 045540131** The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 2866 Nichols Court West Sacramento Ca 95691 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is **$171,877.67** The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located. Date: January 22, 1999 **Title Trust Deed Service Company, a California Corporation** Kelli J. Espinoza, *Authorized Signature, 16633 Ventura Blvd., Suite 1000, Encino, California 91436 (818)986-8966* **C291157** 2/3, 2/10, 2/17 1999

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Trustee Sale No. 98-03361 Loan No. 3606308 Title Order No. 8256890 APN 014-244-05 FHA # 043-5399771-703 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 04/04/95. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDINGS AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On February 16, 1999, at 12:00 PM, **ARM FINANCIAL CORPORATION** as the duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded on 04/12/95 Instrument 95-0007964-00, Book , Page of Official Records in the Office of the Recorder of YOLO County, California, executed by: MILDRED J. JACKSON, AN UNMARRIED WOMAN, as Trustor, FLEET MORTGAGE CORP. F/K/A FLEET REAL ESTATE FUNDING CORP., as Beneficiary, WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States, by cash, a cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state). At: AT THE MAIN ENTRANCE TO THE CITY HALL AT 2101 STONE BLVD., WEST SACRAMENTO, CA., all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County, California describing the land therein: "As more fully described on the above mentioned Deed of Trust". The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 941 CASSELMAN DR, W SACRAMENTO, CA 95605. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to–wit: $82,266.84 (Estimated) Accrued interest and additional advances, if any, will increase this figure prior to sale. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located and more than three months have elapsed since such recordation. Date: 01/22/99, **ARM FINANCIAL CORPORATION**, P.O. Box 85309, San Diego, CA 92186-5309, (619) 689-9735 ROBB BOURNE, ASSISTANT SECRETARY NPP0056412 01/27/99, 02/03/99, 02/10/99

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

TS No. 98-10241 Loan No. 4105034 Title Order No. 226215 Investor/Insurer No. 0435762941729 APN No.: 014-034-04 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 05/29/97. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. Notice is hereby given that CTC Foreclosure Services Corporation, as duly appointed trustee pursuant to the Deed of Trust executed by CARL SIMPSON AND LOLITA HANSEN SIMPSON, HUSBAND AND WIFE dated 05/29/97 and recorded 06/13/97, as Instrument No. 970013918-00, of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California, will sell on 02/24/99 at 11:00AM, AT THE MAIN STEPS TO THE COUNTY COURTHOUSE, 725 COURT STREET, WOODLAND, CA at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash or check as described below, payable in full at time of sale, all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State and as more fully described in the above referenced Deed of Trust. The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 717 SUNSET AVENUE, WEST SACRAMENTO, CA, 95605 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. The total amount of the unpaid balance with interest thereon of the obligation secured by the property to be sold plus reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is $96968.48 It is possible that at the time of sale the opening bid may be less than the total indebtedness due. In addition to cash, the Trustee will accept cashier's checks drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state. The property is being sold in "as is" condition. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied regarding title, possession or encumbrances, to satisfy the indebtedness secured by said Deed, advances thereunder, with interest as provided therein, and the unpaid principal balance of the Note secured by said Deed with interest thereon as provided in said Note, fees, charges and expenses of the trustee and the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. Dated: January 15, 1999
PLM Lender Services, Inc., as said Trustee 577 Salmar Avenue, Suite 100, Campbell, CA 95008 (408)370-4030 For Trustee's Sales Information Please Call (916) 387-7728 By: Elizabeth A. Godbey, Assistant Vice President
Pub: 01/20/99, 01/27/99, 02/03/99
CNS1676163

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE UNDER DEED OF TRUST

Loan: 371021-7 Other: 2002265 File: 800-015100 A.P. Number: 058-134-03 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED NOVEMBER 23, 1994. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER.
Notice is hereby given that PLM Lender Services, Inc., as trustee, or successor trustee, or substituted trustee pursuant to the Deed of Trust executed by Marshall Emery Miller, an unmarried man
Recorded on November 30, 1994 as Instrument No. 94-0035618-00 of Official records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, California, and pursuant to the Notice of Default and Election to Sell thereunder recorded October 14, 1998 as Instrument No. 98-0029720 of said Official Records, WILL SELL on February 10, 1999 at the main entrance to the City Hall, 2101 Stone Blvd., West Sacramento, CA at 1:00 P.M. AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH (payable at the time of sale in lawful money of the United States), all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State hereinafter described: As more fully described on said Deed of Trust.
The property address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 1908 Alabama Ave., West Sacramento, CA 95691
The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the property address and other common designation, if any, shown herein.
The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is: $95,997.98
In addition to cash, the Trustee will accept a cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state. In the event tender other than cash is accepted the Trustee may withhold the issuance of the Trustee's Deed until funds become available to the payee or endorsee as a matter of right.
The property is being sold in "as is"condition. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied regarding title, possession or encumbrances, to satisfy the indebtedness secured by said Deed, advances thereunder, with interest as provided therein, and the unpaid principal balance of the Note secured by said Deed with interest thereon as provided in said Note, fees, charges and expenses of the trustee and the trusts created by said Deed of Trust.
Dated: January 15, 1999
PLM Lender Services, Inc., as said Trustee 577 Salmar Avenue, Suite 100, Campbell, CA 95008 (408)370-4030 For Trustee's Sales Information Please Call (916) 387-7728 By: Elizabeth A. Godbey, Assistant Vice President
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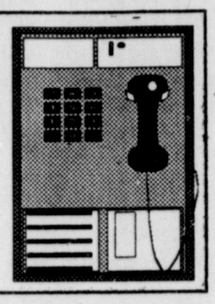
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—Jean Paul Sartre

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—The Teaching for Merikare



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GARAGE & YARD SALES

WAREHOUSE SALE: Sat., 1/23, 10am-4pm, 753 Northport Dr. off West Capitol Ave., West Sacramento. Info recording call 373-0648. 23

BUILDING MATERIALS

Steel buildings never put up. 40X30 was $6,212 will sell for $3,497, 50X86 was $17,690 will sell $8,970. Chuck 1-800-320-2340.19

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PETS

FOUND: black border collie mix near Linden Road. Call 657-6788. 20

GOLDEN RETRIEVER PUPPIES, AKC, 8 weeks (as of 12/30), $350. 372-0449. 21

FOUND DOG: Big white pregnant female, shorthair, looks like a Lab. Near west end West Capitol. 372-3383, Betty or Eva. Very nice dog, great with kids, well kept by someone. 27

LOST CAT: disappeared 1/26 from 13th St. 11 year old neutered male tabby w/black & gray swirl pattern on sides. Cheek shaved recently for surgery. Please leave message 328-7352. M-28

PERSONAL

Thank you St. Jude for prayers answered. -- Luisa. 24

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—St. Francis De Sales

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Local Scene

Yolo 150 Celebration

The Yolo County 150 Committee invites the public to take part in the statewide Sesquicentennial celebration honoring 150 years of statehood by enjoying local activitis that recognize Yolo County's heritage. Each month, the committee will feature community events that relate to the Sesquicentennial. Throughout February, meet Yolo County pioneers through documents, photographs and artifacts at the Yolo County Historical Museum, 512 Gibson Rd. in Woodland. Admission will be $2. Call (530) 666-1045 for hours. For more information on more specific upcoming events during February, please call (5530) 756-7911.

I.C.F Trip

The I.C.F. #282 of West Sacramento is sponsoring a 5-day, 4-night trip to Las Vegas, Laughlin and Hawthorne, February 14-18. The cost is $155.00 dbl. occ. per person. Single supplement is $45. A cruise on the U.S.S. Riverside is included. For more information and/or a brochure, please call Bernice Gwinn at 371-4974.

Japanese Food Festival

The Sacramento Buddhist Church's Women's Association and Adult Buddhist Association will hold its annual spring Japanese Food Festival on Sunday, March 14 between 10:30 a.m. and 3 p.m. (or until sold out) at the Sacramento Buddhist Church, 2401 Riverside Blvd. (Riverside Blvd. & X Street). The festival will feature chicken teriyaki, maki sushi, inari sushi, udon, chirashi zushi, beef teriyaki sandwiches, pastries and more. Call 446-01121 for more information.

"Our Town"

The Woodland Opera House presents Thornton Wilder's "Our Town" February 5-27. The production is underwritten by Tom and Meg Stallard. This Pulitzer Prize winner is one of the most movingly human plays ever to come out of the American Theatre and virtually revolutionized the American theatrical experience. In keeping with Wilder's original ideas concerning drama and stage setting, the Woodland Opera House's production will honor Wilder's award-winning concepts by presenting the drama as it was originally portrayed in 1938. Tom and Meg Stallard will once again make free tickets available to all Yolo County English students in grades 9-12. Vouchers for student tickets are available through county schools. For more information regarding this program contact the WOH Box Office. Tickets for the play are $13 for main floor and $5 for balcony. Discounts are available for students, seniors, and groups of ten or more. For reservations, call (530) 666-9617, Monday through Friday, between 12 and 5 p.m.

Evergreen Spaghetti Feed

Evergreen School's PTE will be sponsoring its third annual Spaghetti Feed on Thursday evening, February 11, in the multipurpose room at Evergreen. This is a great meal at a great price for families. It is also a fun evening. We'll have wonderful prizes and fabulous desserts, all donated by families. This is one of the major fundraisers for Evergreen. For information on how to purchase tickets, please contact Evergreen School.

OLG Kindergarten Registration

Kindergarten registration for the 1999-2000 school year at Our Lady of Grace School will take place on Wednesday, February 10, at 7 p.m. at the school, located at 1990 Linden Road in West Sacramento. Please bring the following: birth certificate, health records, Baptism certificate (if applicable) and $200.00 registration fee.

Free Zoo Admission

Free admission to the Sacramento Zoo is offered on Thursday, February 4 in celebration of the 18th birthday of Urban, the male orangutan. Zoo visitors can enjoy a special day at the zoo honoring all the zoos' orangutans. Watch the orangutans receive special food treats in the morning and afternoon. At noon zoo visitors can enjoy free birthday cake samples while supplies last. The Sacramento Zoo is located in William Land Park on the corner of Land Park Drive and Sutterville Road. The zoo is open daily, except Thanksgiving and Christmas, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Free parking is available. For more information, call the zoo at 264-5166 or visit their web site at: www.saczoo.com.

Tax Forms

It's tax-time again. The Arthur F. Turner Branch Library will again be a source for State and Federal income tax forms and booklets. The library has a selection of commonly used forms in the lobby as well as forms that can be photocopied from a master set. The cost for copies is ten cents per page. As always, the library staff cannot answer tax questions or give advice about the selection of completion of the forms. The library is located at 1212 Merkley Ave. in West Sacramento. Call 375-6465 for library hours.

Heart and Soul

Musical revue "Heart and Soul: The Songs of Frank Loesser," will be featured on Sat., Feb. 6 at 8 p.m. and on Sun., Feb. 7 at 2 p.m. at the Varsity Theatre at 616 Second St. in Davis. The revue is a fundraiser for Citizens Who Care, a non-profit agency providing social support services to older adults and their caregivers in Yolo County through an in-home respite/visiting program, a convalescent hospital visiting program, and the Time Off for Caregivers program. Performers will include Joe Alkire, Bob Bowen, Gwyneth Bruch, Dick Brunelle, Martha Dickman, Lenore Heinson, Stephen Peithman, Lenore Sebastian, and Peter Shack. Tickets cost $15, and are available through Citizens Who Care, P.O. Box 1843, Davis, (530) 758-3704, or through Armadillo Music, 205 F Street, Davis, (530) 758-8058.

Father/Daughter Night

The City of West Sacramento Department of Parks and Community Services presents its fourth annual West Sacramento Father/Daughter Night on Friday, Feb. 5, between 8:30 and 9:30 p.m. at the VFW Hall Post 8762, 905 Drever St. in West Sacramento. This is a very special evening for fathers and daughters of all ages. Enjoy a semi-formal evening, complete with a gourmet catered dinner, a D.J. for dancing to the oldies, and fun activities. Professional photographs will be available for an additional fee. Tickets to this event make an ideal Valentine's Day present; cost is $32 per father/daughter couple; $18 for every additional daughter; and $16 for any daughter under the age of 3 years. Deadline to register is Mon., Feb. 1, 1999. For more information, call 373-5860.

Church

Join a friendly group of believers for a night of worship. The River of Life Community Church, a non-denominational church led by Pastor Tony Cunningham, meets at Yolo High School. Jr./Sr. high school youth group meets at 4:30 p.m. on Sundays, and contemporary worship and Sunday school are held at 6 p.m. Child care is available. For information, call 373-9003.

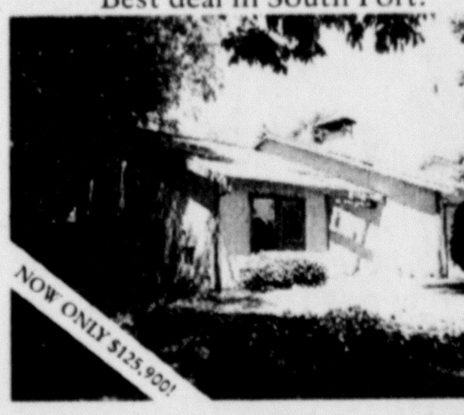
Class of '79

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Firehouse reuse plans available to public

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The architectural firm selected by the city to evaluate the historic Washington Firehouse has drafted initial designs for potential uses of the building. The public will be able to view and comment on the designs by attending one of two workshops scheduled by the city in February. The Washington Firehouse Design workshop will first be offered Saturday, Feb. 13 at 10 a.m., and then repeated Monday, Feb. 15 at 6 p.m. Each session takes place in the council chambers at City Hall, 2101 Stone Blvd. Interested citizens may attend either session or both.

Each workshop will provide an update on the Washington Firehouse project by the West Sacramento Redevelopment Agency, followed by a presentation from McCabe-Pressey Architects of the building's initial draft designs. Public discussion of the designs will be invited. Additional workshops will be scheduled for re3view of any revised draft designs.

McCabe-Pressey Architects is well-known for its historic preservation work, which includes key participation in the restoration of Old Sacramento's buildings. Restoring the Washington Firehouse to a position of prominence in the community requires an evaluation of the building's existing condition and the rehabilitation costs for its potential uses. Priorities voiced by the community during public workshops will guide the development of the final draft designs of the Firehouse.

Sometime this spring, McCabe-Pressey will prepare a final report containing a structural evaluation of the Firehouse, along with final draft designs for the potential uses of the building and rehabilitation cost estimates. The Redevelopment Agency expects to present this report to the West Sacramento City Council in April 1999, as part of the information upon which the Council will base its decision on how to re-use the Firehouse.



"My kids don't know where the sink is, but they sure know where to find the clean cups."

Alliance for Mentally Ill holds potluck

The Yolo County Alliance for the Mentally Ill invites all people who have family members disabled by chronic psychiatric disorders to attend a special potluck-discussion meeting tonight.

Elizabeth Gade and Bruce Hagel, attorneys who specialize in disability law for the firm of Olson, Hagel, Leidigh, Waters, and Fishburn, in Sacramento, will explain the eligibility requirements for disability benefits (SSI and SSDI) and the process for applying.

The meeting will be held at the home of Done and Julie Honey, 429 Fiesta Avenue, in Davis. Dinner begins promptly at 6:30 p.m. The discussion will begin at 7:30 and conclude at 9 p.m. People whose last names begin with A-H should bring a salad, I-P a dessert, and Q-Z a main dish. For more information, call 756-2216.

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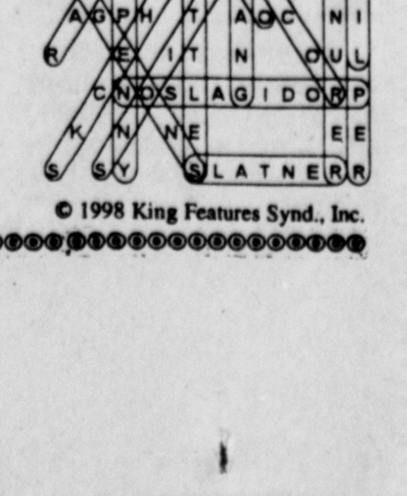
Sports Quiz Answers

1. Gene Lamont in 1994; 2. Tony LaRussa of the St. Louis Cardinals; 3. Bench coach Don Zimmer of the New York Yankees; 4. Andres Galarraga of the Atlanta Braves; 5. Hideo Nomo, then a member of the Los Angeles Dodgers; 6. Preston Gomez; 7. In 1956, Frank Robinson; 8. Greg Maddux (1992 Chicago Cubs, 1993-95 Atlanta Braves)

Answers to Super Crossword

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